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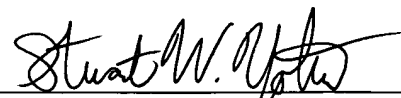
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<u>Applicants'</u> <u>Claim No.</u>	<u>Int'l</u> <u>Pub. No.</u>	<u>U.S. Pub. No.</u>	<u>Pub. Int'l</u> <u>Claim No.</u>	<u>Pub. US</u> <u>Claim No.</u>
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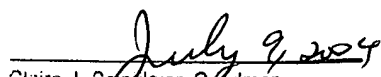
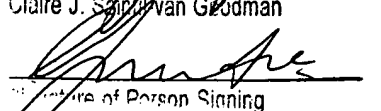
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Consideration of the foregoing is hereby
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